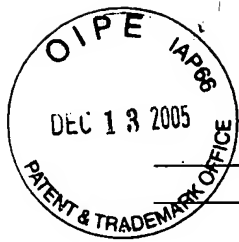


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In re Application of:)	
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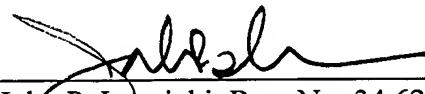
In regard to the above identified application, we are transmitting herewith the attached:

1. Amendment and Response to Office Action, with Attachment A;
2. Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement;
3. Form PTO-1449;
4. Copy of one (1) reference; and
5. Return postcard.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fee of \$180.00, and any additional fees or credit overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

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